

COTTON STRIKE SETTLEMENT**O'DONOHUE AND ORR ON DECK.**

English Spinners Agree to a Reduction of 7 Pence on a Pound.

TERMS ARRANGED AFTER A LONG SITUATION—WORK TO BEGIN MONDAY.

MANCHESTER, March 24.—An agreement has been reached by which the great cotton strike will end on Monday. The Federation of Master Cotton Spinners and the Amalgamated Association of Operative Cotton Spinners met yesterday afternoon to discuss terms for a settlement of the strike.

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LORD FREDERICK SPENCER HAMILTON, formerly the British diplomatic service, and now member of Parliament for North Tyrone, and ex-Judge Sir Douglas Straight, will conduct the magazine. Swinburne will furnish a poem for the initial number.

LOST ALL, KILLED THEMSELVES

Story of the Two American Suicides at Monte Carlo.

MENTONE, March 24.—A few further details regarding the suicide at Monte Carlo of the two Americans, Weill and Robb, of New Orleans, have come to light.

The two men appeared to have been taking pleasure. Every day they went to the Casino and gambled. In four days they lost \$15,000, and apparently had resolved upon making a final effort to recover their losses.

The statement is that they killed themselves on Monday night was erroneous; for yesterday, after sending a telegram to Mr. M. J. Weill, his son, in Paris, they proceeded to the Casino, and again played. They continued to lose heavily.

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Cholera on a Steamer from Hamburg Arriving at Malaga.

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POOR BOB HAS THE TREMENS.**IS IT LICENSE FOR ANNIGONI?**

Their Booms for the Collectorship Lead Mr. Poucher's.

Dr. Joseph H. Senner Wants to Be Immigration Commissioner.

Interest has been added to the fight for the Collectorship of the Port by the formal announcement to-day of the candidates of Joseph J. O'Donohue and Alexander M. Orr, who have made application for Collector Hendricks' place through their friends.

The contest is now a spirited one. With such formidable opponents as Messrs. Orr and O'Donohue, William A. Poucher, of Oswego, up to yesterday the leading candidate of the Anti-Snappers, is no longer such a favorite.

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ALMOST BLIND

With Humor and Inflammation in the Eyes

"My little boy fell from his high chair, injured his nose and eyes, and inflammation appeared in his eyes. They were very sore for a time. He could not bear light, and we had to

KEEP HIM IN DARK ROOM.

CHICAGO CARPENTERS THREATEN

Long Series of Strikes Against Non-Union Bosses in Prospect.

CHICAGO, March 24.—The United Carpenters Council last night adopted an order that all carpenters working for employers who have not signed the new agreement shall lay down their tools and quit work and that union men shall work with non-union men and at non-union rates.

HARRY ECKER thirteen years old, claimed to be a newsdealer, and he was remanded in charge of the Gerry Society.

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